



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Ninety–Fifth Regular Session

10:00 A.M.

THURSDAY, January 31, 2002

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senator Fred Risser.

The Chair, with unanimous consent, asked that the proper entries be made in the journal.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 410

Relating to: payment of annuities under the Wisconsin retirement system.

By Senators Wirch, Burke and Rosenzweig; cosponsored by Representatives Musser, Pocan, J. Lehman, Hahn, Turner, Ryba, Albers, Berceau and Miller.

To joint survey committee on **Retirement Systems**.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Senate Organization** reports and recommends:

In accordance with Senate Rule 21, it is moved that the Senate Committee on Organization create two special committees, one to be named the “**Education Finance Task Force**”, consisting of 15 members of the legislature and the public. The other special committee shall be named the “**Task Force on Telecommunications Issues**”, consisting of 19 members of the legislature and the public. The special committees shall post meeting notices as a standing committee of the Senate, and shall be afforded the support afforded a standing committee of the Senate, granted authorization to contract for professional assistance and shall be eligible for reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses related to attendance at meetings of the special committee. The Education Finance Task Force shall submit a report to the Senate no later than December 31, 2002. The Task Force on Telecommunications Issues shall submit a report to the Senate no later than February 15, 2002.

Adoption.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Panzer and A. Lasee.

Noes, 0 – None.

Charles Chvala
Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin

Department of Health and Family Services

January 25, 2002

The Honorable, The Senate:

Under cover of this letter, I am transmitting a copy of a report to the Legislature. Per Section 980.12(2), Wisconsin Statutes, the Department of Health and Family Services is required to submit this report on Chapter 980 supervised release orders and antiandrogens, prior to February 1, 2002.

Thank you for facilitating the distribution of this report to interested legislators.

Sincerely,

PHYLLIS J. DUBE

Secretary

State of Wisconsin

Department of Employment Relations

December 2001

The Honorable, The Legislature:

The Summer Affirmative Action Intern Program (SAAIP) Report for 2001 is enclosed. The report includes statistical data, evaluation results, and recommendations for program improvements. These recommendations were based on comments received from student interns and their supervisors, State Agency and University Affirmative Action Officers, SAAIP Coordinators, and Personnel Directors. We have implemented many of the recommendations for the 2002 Summer Affirmative Action Intern Program.

We are pleased to report that 2001 was another successful year for SAAIP. This past summer, 92 students were placed in 18 State agencies and University campuses throughout the State of Wisconsin. We appreciate your commitment and support in providing students exposure to state government. With your participation, the SAAIP will continue to attract Wisconsin talent in the higher education system.

If you have any additional comments or suggestions to improve the program for next year, please contact Claire Dehner, SAAIP Coordinator, at (608) 267-1005 or email claire.dehner@der.state.wi.us.

Sincerely,

PETER D. FOX

Secretary

State of Wisconsin

Department of Employment Relations

January 2002

The Honorable, The Legislature:

The Written Hiring Reasons Report for Wisconsin State Government is enclosed. the report, covering the period July

1, 2000, through June 30, 2001, is required under ss. 230.25 (1p) and 230.27 (2k), Wis. Stats., created by 1991 Wisconsin Act 101. Act 101 made several changes in Wisconsin civil service law regarding veterans preference and affirmative action. The law requires "written hiring reasons" for certain hiring transactions and requires the Department of Employment Relations to summarize the hiring reasons and prepare the report.

Information for this report came from summary information provided by each agency. Your efforts and cooperation in compiling the summary reports is appreciated. The report includes a summary and information for each state agency and UW System unit.

If you have any questions, please contact Claire Dehner, Division of Affirmative Action, at (608) 267-1005 or email claire.dehner@der.state.wi.us.

Sincerely,

PETER D. FOX
Secretary

**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF
COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING
PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

**State of Wisconsin
Revisor of Statutes Bureau**

February 1, 2002

To the Honorable, the Senate:

The following rules have been published:

Clearinghouse Rules	Effective Date(s)
99-071	February 1, 2002
99-158	February 1, 2002
00-140	February 1, 2002
00-154	February 1, 2002
00-164	February 1, 2002
01-004	February 1, 2002
01-045	February 1, 2002
01-048	February 1, 2002
01-055	February 1, 2002
01-068	February 1, 2002
01-072	February 1, 2002
01-073	February 1, 2002
01-074	February 1, 2002
01-078	February 1, 2002
01-079	February 1, 2002
01-089	February 1, 2002
01-097	February 1, 2002

Sincerely,
GARY L. POULSON
Deputy Revisor

Senator Risser, with unanimous consent, asked that **Assembly Bill 542** be withdrawn from the committee on **Human Services and Aging** and referred to the committee on **Labor and Agriculture**.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Risser, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, February 5 at 10:00 A.M..

Adjourned.

10:01 A.M.

**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU
CORRECTIONS**

CORRECTIONS IN:

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENTS 3, TO 2001
ASSEMBLY BILL 726**

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(January 24, 2002)

1. Page 1, line 5: delete "except" and substitute "Except".
2. Page 1, line 7: delete "except" and substitute "Except".
3. Page 1, line 9: delete "except" and substitute "Except".

**MOTIONS UNDER SENATE RULE 98 AND
JOINT RULE 7**

for the Month of January 2002

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Risser, for Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, on the occasion of celebrating 94 years of service to communities around the world, and thank Upsilon Mu Omega Chapter for making their community a better place to live.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Joel Anders, on the occasion of bowling a perfect game of 300 points on December 20, 2001.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Stefanie Arndt, on the occasion of being chosen by the Delafield Chamber of Commerce as the 2001 Student of the Year.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Dan Bader, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Linda Barrows, on the occasion of being named Wisconsin's 2002 Superintendent of the Year, from the Oregon School District.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for A. G. Barry Associates, on the occasion of being named the 2002 Business of the Year by the Germantown Area Chamber of Commerce.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Fitzgerald, for Joel V. Benway, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Grobschmidt, for Karen Carlson, on the occasion of being chosen as the 2001 "Citizen of the Year" by the St. Francis Association of Commerce.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Gabriel Costa, on the occasion of being chosen by the Delafield Chamber of Commerce as the 2001 Student of the Year.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Dominic Daniel Densow, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Justin Duquaine, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Fitzgerald, for Austin James Fausett, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Ferris Travel, on the occasion of celebrating its 40th anniversary in business.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Flambeau Plastics Corporation, on the occasion of receiving the award of 2001 Sauk County Large Business of the Year.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for John Forster, on the occasion of his work as President of the Fox and the dedicated work put into the Fox River Heritage Parkway.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for Jayne Germinaro, owner of Papillon's Pizza in Rothschild, Wisconsin, on the occasion of being chosen as the Wisconsin Restaurant Association's, River Valley Chapter – Outstanding Restaurateur of the Year for 2002.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Phillip Gilbertson, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Grede Foundries, on the occasion of 50 years of outstanding service.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Nathan Greenwood, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Drew Gustin, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Lt. Thomas Hageny, on the occasion of his retirement from the Oneida County Sheriff's Department after years of faithful service.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for Diane Hakala, on the occasion of receiving her Emergency Medical Technicians license.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Mike and Nancy Hallada, owners of Wellington Restaurant in Green Bay, Wisconsin, on the occasion of being named 2002 Wisconsin Restaurant Association Restaurateur of the Year.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Kyle Hamlet, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Jacob Heffernan, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Aaron Herm, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Aaron Herm, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Plache, for the Hispanic Business and Professional Association, on the occasion of their dedication to our community.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Andrew Patrick Hooyman, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Jeremy Ryan Jenkins, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Brad Johnson, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Wirch, for Don Kaelber and Kaelber Company, on the occasion of 100 years of service and continued positive leadership.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Adam Kowal, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Dylan Leonard, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Casey Marquardt, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Anthony Michalski, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Terry D. Mulcahy P. E., on the occasion of his retirement from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Anthony Novello, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator George, for George and Lillie Parker, on the occasion of celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary, shared with family and friends.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Gary Pearson, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Burke, for the Polish–American Priests' Association, on the occasion of coming to Milwaukee, Wisconsin for their 13th annual convention.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Jon Rzeznik, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Sauk Prairie Harley–Davidson/Buell, on the occasion of receiving the award of 2001 County Small Business of the Year.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Ted Schoenleber, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Arrow of Light Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Edward and Ann Schultz, on the occasion of celebrating their 10th anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Steven Schultz, on the occasion of earning and attaining the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Charlie Shong, on the occasion of receiving the James J. Murphy Person of the Year Award from the Pewaukee Chamber of Commerce.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Adam Carl Springer, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Chvala, for Zachary Strangeway, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Fitzgerald, for Christopher Eric Teschke, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Keith Turner, on the occasion of his dedicated 42 years of service to the Potosi Fire Department.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Audrey Turowski, manager of the American Legion Post 38, on the occasion of being chosen as the Big Four Chapter's Outstanding Restaurateur of the Year for 2002.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Nic Tyson, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Harsdorf, for the Village of Frederic, on the occasion of celebrating its 100th anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Paul Vogel, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for the Waukesha North Band, under the direction of conductor Jim Doepke, on the occasion of their outstanding performance at the Tournament of Roses Parade held in Pasadena, California.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Jane Wilms, on the occasion of being named the 2002 Citizen of the Year by the Germantown Area Chamber of Commerce.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for CC Winkler, on the occasion of his devoted 42 years to the Potosi Fire Department.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Panzer, for Albert Wolf, on the occasion of his retirement after 36 years with the Allenton Volunteer Fire Department.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator George, for Shoua N. Xiong, on the occasion of his dedication to changing and improving the lives of all in the South East Asian community.